

GOOD MORNING

A PROSE POEM OF SPRING

Some day we may no more feel the beauty of the springtime. Some day we may no longer thrill to the caressing touch of the soft winds.

"Ha, ha," roared Alkali Joe. "Last night I saw you making love to your wife. Why didn't you pull down the blinds?"

"Boys," said Mrs. Newlywed, "I have a wonderful home, good job, and the finest wife in the country."

'TIS UNBELIEVABLE!

"George, you've been working for me quite a while, and you have done a lot of over-time and done a lot of things you have never been paid for."

A school teacher was cashing her monthly pay check in the bank. The teller apologized, giving her old bills, saying: "I hope you are not afraid of microbes."

The old grouch had a son in Yale. At the end of the first year, the son came home exalted. He stood second in his class.

"Second," said the old man. "Second! Why didn't you stand first? What do you think I'm sending you to Yale for?"

The young man returned the second year determined to stand first, and at the end of the year went home triumphant and announced his standing to his father who looked at him a few minutes in silence, then shrugged his shoulders and said:

"At the head of the class, eh? Well Yale can't be much of a university after all."

HOW RIDICULOUS!

Congressman Johnson, of Indiana, called an Illinois Congressman a jackass. The expression was unparliamentary and Johnson was called down for an apology.

"I withdraw the unfortunate word, Mr. Speaker, but I insist that the gentleman from Illinois is out of order."

"Probably a veterinary surgeon could tell you," answered Mr. Johnson.

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN

A sheet of paper, I, Once wholly white, Unmarred by smeary scrawls That humans write. What hope I fondly held That time might bring Some mark to make of me A treasured thing!

I might have held the thoughts Of sage and seer; The flaming words of love Might make me dear; I might have given form To lilting lay, To history that lives An endless day.

What might I not have been To bring me fame? 'T would be enough to bear A shining name. But only might have been! Alas! Too true! 'T was mine to sink to this— An I. O. U.!

SUPT. COLTRANE RESIGNS

Lyerly Cases Set For Monday

SUPERIOR COURT CONVENES FOR A 2-WEEKS SESSION

Total of 59 Criminal Cases Docketed For Trial In Superior Court Next Week.

C. W. BRADSHAW TO BE TRIED ON MURDER CHARGE

Fifteen Liquor Cases To Be Disposed of By Court; John Thompson Indicted For Rape.

The Rowan county superior court convenes Monday for a two weeks session.

The first week will be devoted to the trial of criminal and divorce cases while civil cases will be heard the second week.

There are 59 criminal cases docketed for trial. Liquor violations predominate with a total of 15 cases.

Several cases charging capital crimes are scheduled. C. W. Bradshaw is charged with murder while John Thompson will be tried for rape.

The cases against George M. Lyerly, former city tax collector, charging embezzlement, are set for the first day of court, Monday, May 9th.

Other felonies include: W. T. Bell, seduction; Jake Brown, assault with a deadly weapon; Tommy Hicks, carnal knowledge; while a number of breaking and entering and larceny and receiving cases, are docketed.

Following is a summary of the criminal docket:

Table listing criminal docket items: Liquor violations (15), Larceny (4), Breaking and entering (2), Abandonment (4), Rape (1), Carrying concealed weapon (1), Worthless checks (1), Embezzlement (2), Manslaughter (1), Murder (1), Accessory as to the fact (1), Incest (1), Reckless driving (2), Seduction (1), Assault with deadly weapon (4), Simple assault (1), Sci fa sureties (3), Carnal knowledge (1), Non support (1), Presentment (1), Criminal assault (1), Violation hospital law (1), Resisting arrest (2), Assault on female (2), Nuisance (1), D. W. D. (1), Bastardy (1), Violation electric appliance law (1).

GOLF TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD AT NEW COURSE SAT.

Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock John Bulla and Pitts Hudson, both members of the country club golf team, will meet Frank Lloyd and D. C. Dungan in a 9 hole golf tournament at the Brookdale links, located on the site of the old country club.

The new course will be open for the public for the first time since the country club moved to its new location. The links have been put into splendid condition and a close match between the two teams is expected.

The new management will present the winners of the tournament with half a dozen golf balls. The public is invited to witness the tournament.

Medal for Nurse



Miss Annie Warburton Goodrich, Dean of the Yale University School of Nursing, honored by the Nurses' Convention for her work.

General Smedley D. Butler



General Smedley D. Butler, U. S. Marines, Retired, who is a candidate for election as Mayor of Philadelphia, where he was once Chief of Police.

Bob Reynolds To Speak Here Monday Night

R. R. Reynolds, Asheville attorney and candidate for U. S. Senator on the Democratic ticket, will speak here at the court house Monday night at 8 o'clock in behalf of his candidacy.



R. R. REYNOLDS

In addition to the address of Mr. Reynolds, the committee in charge has arranged an interesting musical program. The Spencer Glee Club will render several selections, and arrangements have been made to have Mrs. Lillian Rozzelle Knebel sing.

Mr. Reynolds will spend the weekend in Salisbury and on Saturday night will go to Kannapolis to address the citizens of the towel city.

Mr. Reynolds is one of four men seeking the nomination for the U. S. Senate.

Who's Who In Rowan

OFFICERS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE FOR SOCIAL SERVICE ARE:

Mrs. W. B. Waddill, President, Henderson. S. H. Hobbs, Jr., 1st Vice-President, Chapel Hill. N. C. Newbold, 2nd Vice-President, Raleigh. J. S. Holmes, Treasurer, Raleigh. Miss Gertrude Weil, Secretary, Goldsboro.

DIRECTORS FOR THE CONFERENCE ARE AS FOLLOWS: Mrs. John H. Anderson, Raleigh.

Lost "Many Millions"



Percy A. Rockefeller, nephew of John D., told a Senate committee that he won back only \$350,000 of the millions he lost in stocks.

G. O. P. County Convention To Be Held May 7

Republicans of the county will assemble in the county court house Saturday at 2 o'clock to nominate candidates for the various county offices.

Robert H. McNeill, attorney in Washington, and native of Wilkes county, will be the principal speaker.

The Republicans plan to nominate a full ticket of candidates for county officers and the convention business will be centered around that work.

RESIGNATION IS ACCEPTED BY SCHOOL BOARD

Mr. Coltrane To Become Associated With National Education Association Of Washington, D. C.

COMMITTEE TO RECOMMEND NEW SUPT. IS NAMED

Will Remain In Salisbury Until July 1; Was Head Of City Schools For 3 Years.

E. J. Coltrane, superintendent of the Salisbury City Schools for the past three years, tendered his resignation to the school board at its meeting Thursday night, effective July 1.

The resignation was read to the members of the board by Chairman Stable Linn, and accepted with regret.

The meeting was held at the Frank B. John school on Ellis street and was the regular meeting for the month.

Following the acceptance of the resignation of Mr. Coltrane, a committee composed of Stable Linn, chairman; Sam Carter, H. P. Brandis, A. G. Peeler and D. J. Butler, was appointed to investigate and recommend to the board a successor to Mr. Coltrane.

Mrs. B. V. Hedrick, C. S. Morris, E. L. Heilig and W. O. Ryburn were appointed to prepare an acknowledgment of the fine work of Mr. Coltrane and present it at the next meeting of the board.

Mr. Coltrane resigned as superintendent of the city schools in order to become associated with the National Education Association. He will have headquarters in Washington, D. C., and will do research work on the possibilities of radio as an educational medium.

The committee to recommend a successor to Mr. Coltrane will canvass the educational field in this state before reporting to the board. The leading educators in the state, it was indicated, will be consulted in this matter.

SPEAKERS ANNOUNCED

Durham—Dr. W. P. Few of Duke university announced James Grafton Rogers, assistant secretary of state, will make the commencement address at Duke university this year. Dr. Joseph Fort Newton, co-rector of St. James Episcopal church, Philadelphia, will preach the commencement sermon. The exercises begin June 5.

FAYETTEVILLE MAN, SUICIDE

Despondency over lack of work is thought the cause of the suicide of W. Thomas Jones, formerly utilities superintendent at Fayetteville and Lexington. He was found dead Sunday night in a gas-filled bathroom in his Fayetteville home.

NEW HOSPITAL FOR SALISBURY IS ASSURED

Salisbury is soon to have a new hospital. Donations from Burton Craige, of Winston-Salem, Mrs. W. R. Craige, of New York, Mrs. Lyman Cotton and Miss Mary Henderson, of Salisbury, bring the amount to date to \$50,000.

The doctors of the city have evidenced the new movement with much enthusiasm and have pledged themselves for \$11,000. As soon as the balance of \$60,000 is received, the Duke Foundation will be approached in the hope that a sizeable sum will be obtained to assist in the building of the hospital.

Later, a personal appeal is to be made to every person in Salisbury for a donation. Contributions may be sent to Mrs. Lyman Cotton, Stable Linn or Bryce Parker Beard.

News Briefs

\$25,000 KINSTON FIRE An early Saturday fire did \$25,000 damage to two Kinston business houses, origin of the blaze not yet being determined.

NEGRO DIES IN THE CHAIR The electrocution of Dudley Moore, 19, Davidson county negro, was made on Friday. He had confessed the murder of Mrs. Jacob Berrier.

OHOSKIE INDUSTRY BURNS Loss of \$20,000 resulted in the burning of the Ahoskie ice plant last week. It was the town's oldest industry.

11 PRISONERS ARE FREED Eleven state prisoners were granted paroles by Governor Max Gardner on Monday and clemency was denied to 33 others seeking freedom.

DIES IN CAR WRECK A roadster he was driving near Newton, Sunday, turned over and killed Hubert Lail, 18, and injured Avery Sipe, owner of the car.

PUBLISHERS NAME OFFICERS Howard Davis, of the New York Herald-Tribune, was last week made president to head the officers of the American Newspaper Publishers association.

DIES FROM CAR INJURIES Injuries received in an automobile wreck a week before, were fatal Friday to Rally Gilliam, 18, Forest City. He had been unconscious since the crash.

KILLED AS CAR HITS TREE Harry J. Hitt, 50, freight agent, died within 20 minutes, April 28, after his car crashed first into a post and then into a tree on the Charlotte-Concord road.

CHATHAM FARMER, SUICIDE Propping a borrowed shotgun against a tree and pushing the trigger with a forked stick, Luther W. Partin, 54, Chatham county farmer, killed himself last week. Cause for his action is not known.

THE STATE MUSIC CONTEST The 13th annual state high school music contest, taking place at North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro, on Thursday and Friday, finds more than 2,000 boys and girls taking part.

THOUGHT VICTIM OF TRAIN Picked up in a dying condition near the Landis depot, Saturday night, Fred Overcash, 16, is thought to have been hit by a train. He died in a Salisbury hospital that night.

HAUSER BATTLES FOR LIFE John Henry Hauser, 82, of Davie county, sentenced to die for killing his son-in-law last May, is in a Winston-Salem hospital fighting for his life with a serious attack of pneumonia. Slight chance is given for recovery.

GIRL DIES IN CAR ACCIDENT Instant death came to Helen McDonald, 14, of Hope Mills, Sunday night when a car driven by her father went over an embankment between Carthage and Pinehurst and overturned in Juniper lake. A sister had a broken arm.

APPEALS NEVADA SENTENCE Sentenced to die in Nevada's lethal gas execution chamber for the murder of a bootlegging associate, Everett T. Mull, Morganton man, will have his appeal for commutation argued before the Nevada Supreme court this week.

MAIL CARRIER IS SHOT Three negroes are held at Windsor as suspects in the shooting of B. V. Cowan, Bertie mail carrier. He was seriously injured trying to stop thieves who were taking his car early Sunday morning. They fired on him from the machine as it got underway.

DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA MEET In their state convention at Greensboro last week, the Daughters of America, auxiliary of the Junior order, named Mrs. Lois V. Hollingsworth, Charlotte, as state councilor and picked Kernersville for 1933 meeting.